

Welcome to Cottage Grove Church and to our services of worship today. This morning we are celebrating the sacrament of the Lord's Supper. This is the table of the Lord set for all who are trusting in the mercy of Christ for the forgiveness of sin and who are seeking to live according to his commandments. If you are visiting with us and are a professing member in good standing of an evangelical church, we cordially invite you to commune with us. Plan to stay for coffee and fellowship following the service. Recordings of our services are available on our website or on compact disk which can be ordered by calling the church office or by using the order form located next to the guest book in the narthex. May the Lord bless you richly as you hear His word and join in worship.

The Lord's Day • June 24, 2018
Morning Worship • 9:30 a.m.

Prelude
 *Call to Worship and Prayer

UNITY WITH CHRIST AND OTHERS

*Philippians 4: 2 – 3
 *Hymn **One People, Here, We Gather**
 *God's Greeting

REJOICING WITH OTHERS IN CHRIST

*Philippians 4: 4
 *Psalter Hymnal 409: 1 - 3 *Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart*

PRACTICING CHRISTIAN VIRTUES

Reading of God's Law
 Psalter Hymnal 137 *In Doubt and Temptation*
 Philippians 4: 8 – 9

CONTENTMENT IN COMMUNION WITH CHRIST

Philippians 4: 11b – 12
 Communion Formulary
 The Consecration
 The Lifting of our Hearts to the Lord
 Pastor: Lift up your hearts.
 Congregation responds: We lift them up to the Lord.

PRAYING IN THE PEACE OF GOD

Philippians 4: 5 – 7
 Congregational Prayer
 Offering **Cottage Grove General Fund**

SITTING AND LEARNING AT THE FEET OF JESUS

*Celebration Hymnal 734 *Be Strong in the Lord*
 Scripture Philippians 4: 1 – 13 (pew Bible, p. 1829)
 Text Philippians 4: 13
 Sermon "I CAN DO ALL THIS
 THROUGH HIM WHO GIVES ME STRENGTH"
 Prayer of Application

WE GO IN CHRIST'S STRENGTH AND LOVE

*Hymn **In Christ Alone**
 *God's Parting Blessing
 *Closing Song – Psalter Hymnal 368: 1 **Rejoice, the Lord is King**

*Please stand if able. **Bold** denotes projected items.

Evening Worship • 5:30 p.m.

Prelude
 *Call to Worship and Prayer
 *Worship Sequence Praise the Almighty King
 Celebration Hymnal 7 **Responsive Reading**
 Celebration Hymnal 8: all **Come, Thou Almighty King**
 Celebration Hymnal 9: all **Glorify Thy Name**
 Celebration Hymnal 10 **Majesty**
 *Declaration of Trust and God's Greeting
 *Confession of Faith The Nicene Creed (Psalter, p. 4)

Hymn **Holy Spirit**
 The Prayers of God's People
 Offering Pregnancy Aid South Suburbs
 *Psalter Hymnal 174 *O Teach Thou Us to Count Our Days*
 Scripture Romans 4: 13 – 17 (pew Bible, p. 1752)
 Heidelberg Catechism, Lord's Day 24 Psalter, p. 31
 Sermon **GOOD WORKS**
 Prayer of Application

*Psalter Hymnal 449 **Fill Thou My Life**
 *God's Parting Blessing **Sent Forth by God's Blessing**
 *Closing Hymn
 *Postlude

Today at Cottage Grove

- 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship. Pastor Joseph Brinks, preach Offering: Cottage Grove General Fund. Lord's Supper.
- 11:00 a.m. **Deacon's** meet.
- 5:30 p.m. Evening worship. Pastor Cary Gephart, preach Offering: Pregnancy Aid South Suburbs, a crisis pregnancy center with offices in Crete, Tinley Park, and South Holland. The goals of the organization are: 1) to educate each woman seeking an abortion, with the hope that the truth would compel her to choose life instead of death for her baby; 2) to be there for the woman after her decision; 3) to share the word of God with her.

This Week at Cottage Grove

Monday, June 25

- 7:00 p.m. **VBS Staff meeting.** Teachers/assistant teachers will receive their training materials, t-shirts, and spend some time training with the department leaders.

Tuesday, June 26

- 7:00 p.m. **Consistory** meets.

Wednesday, June 27

- 6:30 – 7:45 a.m. **Men's Prayer Breakfast** at Sheffield Restaurant (1027 Sheffield Ave., Dyer, IN).

Thursday, June 28

- 12 Noon. **Bulletin deadline.**

Next week at Cottage Grove

Sunday, July 1

- 9:30 a.m. Morning Worship. Pastor Joseph Brinks, preach Sermon title: WORK AND PRAY "YOUR KINGDOM COME" OUR NATION TODAY. Offering: Cottage Grove General Fund.
- 5:30 p.m. Evening worship. Pastor Joseph Brinks, preach Sermon title: BE GOD'S WISE PEOPLE SPEAKING AGAINST WISDOM TO OUR NATION'S SILLY MYTHS. Offering: Chicagoland Prison Outreach.
- Join us for a **Bonfire Night** immediately following the evening worship service! Please bring **one** of the following to share: dogs/buns, ingredients for s'mores, pudgy pies, chips and dessert. If you have hot dog forks and/or pudgy pie maker, please bring those too! Feel free to dress casual for the worship service, invite your friends and neighbors, and make sure to bring a lawn chair! If you have questions, contact Mark U at [708-5221](tel:7085221).

Coming Events

July 30 – August 3. VBS Genesis 1: Space Probe. Sign-up sheets are on the VBS table in the fellowship hall. Many volunteers are needed. Please sign up where you would like to serve. If you have questions ask Carol S. Thank you!

Our Church Family

Congratulations to Darald U who will celebrate his 84th birthday on July 4.

From Mission Committee

Neighbor Love Idea: Help a neighbor with a fix-it project.

Announcements

- Our **Wifi** domain is CGC-Guest, and the password is Cottagegrovecrc.

In Service

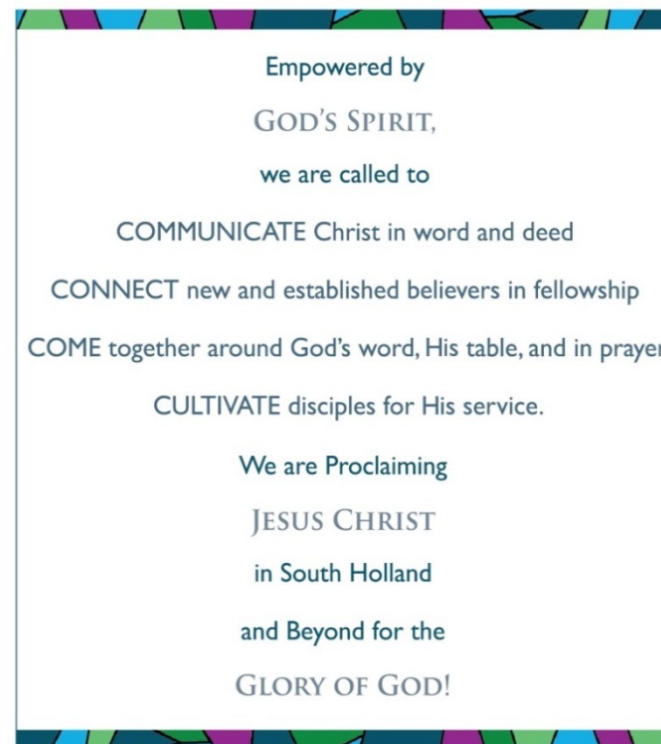
	June 24	July 1
Organist AM		
Pianist AM	Beth H	
Organist PM	Joanne H	
Pianist PM		
Greeters AM	Rich & Kathleen D	Joseph & Linda B
Greeter-South AM	Bob S	Hank B
Greeters PM	Jim & Edie G	Alex & Grace H
Nursery AM	Bethany T Bethany W	Judith E Bonnie B
Ushers		Bob S Mark U Bob T
Video AM	Bob S	Hank B
Video PM	Neil V	Neil V
AM Cookies	Birdie V Z	Adele B
Holland Home Driver	Judy S	Rich K
Sound Operator	Jon K	Marv S

Elder Districts

A – G Rick U
H - S Gene F
T – Z Rich K

Deacon Districts

A – D Ryan S
E – K Mark U
L – T Rich D
U – Z Bob S



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